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Dear Ms. Dixon: I'm writing this in response to the decision to ship Radioactive Waste across the country to a site in Nevada. I'm very sure that you are aware of the serious health risks if one of these shipments should have a problem and leak or be spilled into populated areas. It goes without saying that the dangers of these shipments are of great concern to everyone who is affected, either the area where it is to be stored or one of the many communities that these materials will be shipped through. I personally am in a community that has been rumored and as much been told that these material would be shipped through. Now being a resident of this Country of the United States I believe it is my Constitutional right to express my dissatisfaction with the decision to ship these dangerous materials through this area. We as residents of this community and country did not create this night mare called Necular Energy but are now being forced to live with the by products of an industry that cares only about profits and not the by products that could damage human life and destroy the land. I'm quite sure that this letter and the others you receive will not stop these shipments, but I'm also quite sure that the intelligent scientists and scholars that you are can find routes that will not go through populated areas when ever possible. I beg you to at least consider the possibility of moving these shipments through non populated areas. I'm very sure that if you look hard enough you will be able to find the best route for the citizens of this country and not just take the cheapest bid.

Concerened Citizen

William D. Arbogast

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